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City of Barrie

Final

Seniors and Accessibility Advisory Committee

Monday, November 20, 2023 | **4:00 PM** | **Sir Robert Barrie Room**

SENIORS AND ACCESSIBILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT
For consideration by the Community Safety Committee on February 6, 2024.

The meeting was called to order by the Chair, Councillor, N. Nigussie at 4:02 p.m. The following were in attendance for the meeting:

Present: 10 - Councillor N. Nigussie
C. Kenwell
D. Smith
E. Saba
G. Kavanagh
K. MacDonald
L. Pope
R. Garvin
R. Meier
W. Delo

STAFF:
Deputy City Clerk, T. McArthur
Landscape Architectural Planner, K. Lilienthal
Manager of Parks Planning, K. Bradley.

The Seniors and Accessibility Advisory Committee met and reports as follows:

PRESENTATION CONCERNING THE OUTDOOR RACQUET SPORTS STRATEGY

Karen Lilienthal, Landscape Architectural Planner, provided a presentation concerning the Outdoor Racquet Sports Strategy to enhance the City's outdoor tennis and pickleball facilities.

Ms. Lilienthal discussed slides concerning the following topics:

- Engaging the Seniors and Accessibility Advisory Committee (SAAC) to identify opportunities for outdoor recreation;
- An overview of the Outdoor Racquet Sports Strategy;
- The project stages and timelines;
- The background research and community engagement; and
- The questions for consideration by the SAAC associated with the Strategy;

Members of Committee asked a number of questions and provided feedback to City staff.

APPOINTMENT OF VICE-CHAIR

The Committee discussed appointing a Vice-Chair to the Committee. They agreed to appoint Catherine Kenwell as the Committee's Vice-Chair.

MEETING SCHEDULE

The Committee discussed the meeting schedule for 2024. They agreed to continue to meet on the third Monday of the month and move the time from 4:00 pm to 3:00 pm.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 4:39 p.m.

CHAIRMAN